

Earth Is Holy © 1980 Cynthia Crossen *Play with capo on 2nd fret, chords below*

Why have we forgotten? **Em**
Forest is a holy place,
Stand within its circle,
Feel its power, know its grace,
Let no tree be wasted there,
What you need, take with a prayer,
Reverence the beings there.

Why have we forgotten? **Em**
River is a shining spirit, **D Em-D-Em**
Drink deep from her waters, **Em**
Source of life to every creature, **D Em-D-Em**
Let no poisons taint her waters, **Em - D**
Fish dance in her crystal waters, **Em - D**
All who thirst may know her waters. **Em - D D - Em-D-Em**

Why have we forgotten? **Em**
Holy is the sky's great arc, **D Em-D-Em**
Home of bird and rainbow, **Em**
Sun and moon and cloud and star, **D Em-D-Em**
Let no cloud of darkness hide him, **Em - D**
Let no stink of factory ride him, **Em - D**
Let the sun reign in his kingdom. **Em - D D - Em-D-Em**

Why have we forgotten? **Em**
Earth is holy, earth is whole, **D Em-D-Em**
Woven all of beauty, **Em**
She is mother to us all. **D Em-D-Em**
Can we live is she is ravaged, **Em - D**
Poisoned, plundered by our madness, **Em - D**
Who but she will ever feed us? **Em - D D - Em-D-Em**

Oh let us remember that the earth is holy... (7X) **Em**